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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Worley and Brakeman Art Unit: 1631
Application No.: 09/910,706 Examiner: M. Allen
Filed: July 20, 2001
Title: SYNAPTIC ACTIVATION PROTEIN COMPOSITIONS AND METHOD

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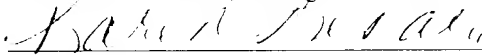
Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Restriction Requirement dated November 27, 2002.

The requested extension is for two (2) months, extending the period for response from December 27, 2002 to February 27, 2003.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8

I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on February 27, 2003, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231


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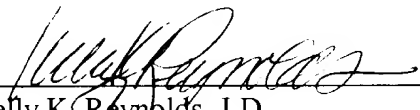
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A check in the total amount of \$331.00 is enclosed to cover the two-month Extension of Time fee and the 14 extra claims fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1355 for any other fees or credits believed to be due. A copy of this Petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: February 27, 2003



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